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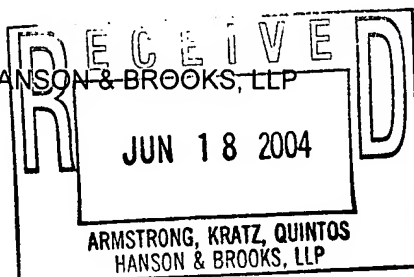
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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
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The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 10-12.

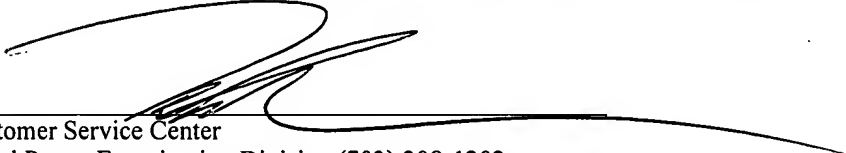
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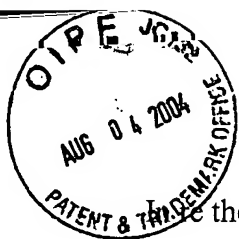
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Re the Application of: **NINOMIYA, Norikazu, et al. ATTN: MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS**

Serial No.: 10/809,864

Group Art Unit: **Not Yet Assigned**

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For: **MULTI-PIECE GOLF BALL, MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF AND
MOLD USED THEREOF**

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

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August 4, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated **June 17, 2004**, enclosed for filing is the verified English translation of Application along with the Drawings and statement of verified translation for the above-identified patent application.

Also enclosed is our check in the amount of **\$130.00**, for the surcharge fee for filing the verified English translation of Application along with Drawings and statement of verified translation. In the event that any additional fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

In the event that this response is not timely filed, applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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